

RED LOSES FIGHT TO ESCAPE PRISON

William Bross Lloyd, Chicago Millionaire, Must Serve Five Years.

AMONG 19 CONVICTED

Arrested During War for Displaying Red Flag Above American.

By the Associated Press.

CHICAGO, November 16.—Two-year fight of William Bross Lloyd, wealthy communist, to escape a five-year penitentiary sentence for violation of the Illinois espionage act, known as the "overthrow" law, ended at midnight, when, according to word received here, Chief Justice Thompson of the Illinois supreme court announced that Lloyd's motion to deny the sentence was overruled.

Lloyd and eighteen other members of the communist party were convicted in Chicago in August, 1920, after a trial lasting several days. They were accused of advocating overthrow of the government.

Chief Clerk Vail of the state supreme court today expected to issue the necessary papers for Lloyd's imprisonment. In addition to the prison sentence Lloyd was fined \$2,000.

Inherited Father's Fortune.
Lloyd inherited a fortune from his father, the late Henry D. Lloyd, philanthropist. His inherited wealth was greatly augmented in recent years while he was a stockholder in one of Chicago's daily newspapers.

Lloyd long has been known as a radical. He was arrested during the war for displaying the red flag above the American flag on his automobile. He declared the red flag was his flag and that he was a socialist.

Active With Radicals.
With his wife, Madge Bird, he took an active part in the affairs of the left wing socialists during the war, and when the extreme left bolted from the socialist party after issuing the radical manifesto of July 1, 1919, Lloyd and his friends remained loyal.

In September, 1921, but they were thrown out. They then formed the communist-labor party, while a number of other leftists who had gone into a separate convention and organized the communist party. Both groups affiliated with the third international of Moscow.

Lloyd was elected sergeant-at-arms of the communist-labor party, a close friend of William D. (Big Bill) Haywood, former I. W. O. leader, who fled to Russia in 1918. Lloyd was arrested in 1920 and sentenced to a twenty-year prison term. It was Lloyd who furnished \$10,000 bonds for Haywood when he was released from prison.

Lloyd was released from prison by Judge Kenesaw M. Landis, and it was Lloyd who put up another \$10,000 when Haywood was released. Lloyd also was arrested and sentenced to a year in prison for failing to appear in court for the \$10,000 bonds when Haywood fled.

FRENCH ACCEPT BRITISH TURK VIEW

All Danger of Split Over Near East Declared Removed.

By the Associated Press.

PARIS, November 16.—Great Britain and France now are in complete agreement on the fundamental conditions of Turkish peace, it was definitely stated in authoritative quarters today. Premier Poincaré has replied to the recent British memorandum and has accepted the British point of view. This action removes all danger of a Franco-British split in the near east negotiations.

Jamet Pasha, head of the Turkish delegation to the Lausanne peace conference, discussed the near east situation today with Premier Poincaré and at the conclusion of the interview declared that the French view was most satisfactory.

Asks for Peace.
"We want peace at Lausanne, because we have a war-ravaged country in need of reconstruction," he declared. "The world must not believe that we are militarists or that we are inflamed by our recent successes. Mark my word, we are going to create a new Turkey, in which there is democracy as pure as in any western country. We intend to live independently and nationally in every sense, and the Turkish people will not renounce in any degree this independence for any reason."

Note Brings Relief.
The note, which had been eagerly awaited for several days, brought relief to the allied authorities and the population of the capital, who had seriously doubted the good intentions of the Ankara government. It is felt here that the unfavorable reception of the Ankara demands throughout the world caused them to reconsider their decision and adopt a more conciliatory attitude.

While all the clauses of the national note are not wholly acceptable, the document is considered to offer a reasonable basis for discussion and negotiation. In diplomatic circles it is felt that the note precludes the danger of war before the conclusion of the Lausanne peace conference.

MRS. CATT FAILS FRENCH.
PARIS, November 16.—The French Union of Women Suffragists today received a telegram from Mrs. Carrie Chapman Catt, American feminist leader, who is in Berlin, stating that illness would prevent her from keeping her engagement to speak here tonight.

PRESIDENT ADMITS PUBLIC IS SHIFTING VIEW ON DRY LAW

By the Associated Press.
NEW YORK, November 16.—President Harding, who was learned last night, has sent a letter to Mrs. Douglas Robinson, sister of the late Theodore Roosevelt and member of the national republican committee, conceding that there has been a shift of public opinion regarding prohibition enforcement. He predicted the prohibition question would not be taken out of politics within this generation.

Receipt of the letter was announced at a meeting of the Republican Neighborhood Association today. Mrs. Robinson confirmed receipt of the letter, but declined to make its text public.

She explained that she had been attacked by a republican leader on the national organization's attitude toward prohibition and wrote of it to the President. His letter was in reply.

LEGAL TANGLE MAY SEAT MRS. FELTON

Gov. Hardwick's Absence Likely to Delay George in Obtaining Commission.

By the Associated Press.

ATLANTA, Ga., November 16.—Mrs. Rebecca Latimer Felton, appointed United States senator and interim, following the death of Thomas H. Watson, and Walter F. George, elected at the polls in the general election of November 7 as successor to Mr. Watson, both are planning to go to Washington for the convening of the extra session of Congress, according to information made public here.

Mrs. Felton, at her home in Cartersville, announced her intention of going to Washington, with the expectation of being seated because of probable delay in the issuance of Mr. George's commission, while Mr. George indicated that he would arrive in Atlanta today, with the expectation of obtaining his commission, armed with which he would proceed to the National Capitol.

Secretary of State McLaughlin, however, who must sign Mr. George's commission and attach thereto the great seal of the state, is expected to return to the state capital from New York to call together the canvassing board of the state and controller general, for the purpose of declaring the results of the election.

Fourteen Counties Still Out.
"Until that is done," Secretary McLaughlin asserted, "I cannot sign Judge George's commission, or attach to it the great seal of the state. The law is definite and specific. A senator is not elected until the returns have been canvassed by the state board and the result declared by them." Fourteen counties still are to make their ballots cast November 7, it was stated.

Referring to a telegram received by Mrs. Felton from her secretary, Mr. George, who had been appointed to the position of governor without authority to take such action.

Governor Left Commission.
Gov. Hardwick, who appointed Mrs. Felton as interim senator, is in New York on his vacation. In a statement yesterday he said Mrs. Felton's term ended on the day of the election, November 7, and it has been stated that before leaving Atlanta he presented his credentials to the state board of election.

Secretary McLaughlin declared, however, that he could not sign the commission until the formal declaration of the election had been completed. "I cannot call the canvassing board together," he said, "until the election has been completed. Nobody but the governor can call it together. The governor is not here and the board cannot meet until his return."

GEORGE WILLING TO WAIT.
Tells Mrs. Felton He's Glad to Allow Her to Sit One Day.

By the Associated Press.

ROME, Ga., November 16.—Senator-elect Walter F. George, in a telephone conversation late yesterday with Mrs. Felton, at Cartersville, informed her of his willingness to give up his seat in the United States Senate for one day, and the two will meet in Atlanta tomorrow in regard to the matter, according to information received here.

Mr. George informed Mrs. Felton that he would be pleased to comply with the desire of thousands of women in the country that a woman should be seated in the Senate. "I will do it," he said, "if for only one day," the report said.

Mrs. Felton will leave Cartersville tomorrow for Washington, stopping in Atlanta to meet Mr. George tomorrow.

PHONE WRECKER REPENTS

Pays \$95 Fine for Dumping Fixtures Through Operator's Door.

By the Associated Press.

RUTLAND, Vt., November 16.—Thomas D. Noel of Mount Holly lost his temper when he could not get central on the telephone. He ripped the instrument from the wall of his home, dumped it into his automobile and then drove two miles to the home of the telephone operator and shied the fixtures through the plate glass window in the front door. In city court he pleaded guilty to a charge of breach of the peace, paid a fine of \$25, agreed to repair the damaged door and to treat the telephone with more respect in the future.

MUSSOLINI FIGHTS BEFORE DEPUTIES

Fascisti Premier Not Asking Favors, He Says, in Impressive Debut.

By the Associated Press.

ROME, November 16.—Premier Mussolini in his initial address to the chamber of deputies today threw down the gauntlet to that body and indicated in unmistakable terms that he was not there to ask favors, but to receive them.

"What I am doing today," said the fascist premier, "is a formal act of courtesy toward you for which I do not desire any special expression of gratitude."

"For too many years ministerial crises have been settled by the chamber by political maneuvers, but for the second time—the first was in May, 1919—the Italian nation has overthrown the cabinet and given itself a ministry outside, above, in spite of parliament."

Says Revolution Has Right.
"I leave to the melancholy worshippers of super-constitutionalism the dissertations and complaints, but I say that revolution has its rights. I would add that the whole world may know that I am here to defend and put into execution to its highest capacity the revolution of the black shirts, to introduce it as a force in the development of progress and balance in the history of Italy."

The new premier acquainted the chamber with his program of internal reforms, he explained briefly the government's foreign policy and outlined his plan for the execution of fiscal and bureaucratic changes.

Mussolini's parliamentary debut was an impressive one. Never since the war has an Italian premier appeared before the parliament with such self-confidence. Though the number of fascist deputies only reaches thirty-one out of over 500, the new chief of the cabinet exhibited no apologetic tones, which was the custom of his predecessors who operated with coalition forces.

To use his own word, he simply "executed" a vote of confidence. He put himself forward as not asking the support of the chamber, but as one who had summoned it to show cause why it should not be dissolved and bound over to keep the peace for two years, until 1924, when its duration would automatically expire, according to the constitution.

The chamber hall was packed. Black shirts were especially prominent in the visitors' tribunes to the extreme left, overlooking the bench where the socialist and communist deputies sat. The latter have maintained a persistent opposition to the fascist governments, excepting that of former Premier Nitti.

The diplomatic tribune also was crowded with the presence of almost the entire diplomatic corps. Ambassadors, ministers and plenipotentiaries for the Turkish conference, was present, with the entire embassy staff.

WHITE CORPUSCLES "TO FOIL DEATH"

Scientist Explains Tissue Building Activities of the "Leucocytes."

By the Associated Press.

NEW YORK, November 16.—Discovery of the tissue-building activities of the white blood corpuscles, believed by scientists to point the way to the inhibition of the degenerative process of human life, was outlined by Dr. Alexis Carrel of the Rockefeller Institute in an address before the National Academy of Sciences.

Dr. Carrel's statements were taken by many prominent scientists in his audience to indicate that the secret of longevity might be found through the discovery of a means of stimulating the activity of these corpuscles.

Dr. Carrel described the work of the leucocytes, or white blood corpuscles, which experiments have shown he said protected the body against infection and also stimulated the growth of new tissues and the regeneration of dormant cells.

He told of his experiments with animals, which had indicated that the white blood corpuscles stimulated the growth of new tissue "by setting free growth-activating substances in the tissues." He pointed out that in extreme old age new tissue grew to heal wounds and broken bones.

Prof. Norris Russell of Princeton University was awarded the Henry Draper gold medal for eminence in astrophysics at a meeting of the academy last night.

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Lady Astor Retains Her Seat; Maj. J. J. Astor Also Elected



MAJ. JOHN JACOB ASTOR.



LADY NANCY ASTOR.

By the Associated Press.
LONDON, November 16.—Maj. John Jacob Astor, son of the late Viscount Astor, was elected on the conservative ticket over the liberal candidate, L. J. Stein, and the independent unionist, Col. Sir Thomas Polson, in the Dover division of Kent.

PLYMOUTH, November 16.—Lady Astor was returned to parliament for the Sutton division of Plymouth, in an election which resulted in a harder fight than when she first was sent to Westminster to represent her constituency.

A notable point in the balloting was how nearly the number of votes for the labor and liberal camps, with the 1919 election. Lady Astor polled 13,224 votes, while in 1919 she was given 14,455. Capt. G. W. Brin, the labor candidate, had 10,831 as against 9,232 for the same party's candidate in 1919, while yesterday's vote for the independent conservative was 4,643, as compared with 4,139 in the 1919 election. Party lines counted for little. The

personality of Lady Astor and her social policies were the main features of the contest. The comparatively small vote, which was badly polled, was a surprise to the conservatives who opposed Lady Astor and who thought by running another conservative against her they would insure her defeat.

By splitting the party votes Lady Astor lost many conservative ballots, but she made compensating gains from the labor and liberal camps. The threat of prohibition in the liquor control bill Lady Astor supported was the spearhead of the fight against her.

After the result of the balloting had been declared, Lady Astor said that her fight had been a straight one with labor, or some of the laborites, and she was sorry that it had not been a longer fight. Nevertheless, she was delighted at having won.

"The split in the conservative party," the victorious candidate declared, "brought labor dangerously near success, and but for a hard fight labor might have won. I hope it will be a brief lesson to the conservative party."

MRS. MUNN PROVIDES FOR CHILDREN'S HOSPITAL

Will Leave \$200,000 for Building and Fund for Maintenance, But Is Conditioned.

The will of Mrs. Carrie L. Munn, dated May 16, 1913, was filed today for probate. It contains a provision for the erection of a hospital in Chicago, Ill., to cost \$200,000, and for its maintenance. The hospital is to be known as the Munn Hospital for Children and is to treat and care for sick, crippled and deformed children. The provision for the hospital, however, is contingent on the death of all the five children of Mrs. Munn without issue prior to the time provided for the distribution of her estate.

She appoints her sons, Charles A. and Gurnee Munn, as executors and trustees. Her household effects, automobiles, horses and carriages are to be distributed among her five children, and Gurnee Munn, as executor and trustee, Charles, Gurnee, Ector and Gladys Munn and Mrs. Carrie L. Munn, as trustee, Annie M. O'Brien, is to have \$1,000.

The Wellington Hotel property, at Wabash avenue and Jackson boulevard, Chicago, is to be held in trust and the income distributed among the five children during their lives or, if they die, to be paid to the children until each reaches the age of twenty-five years. If he or she is to have certain portions of the estate, the sons, Charles A. and Gurnee, and the daughter, Ector, are to receive their full share of the personality and of the proceeds of any real estate owned when each becomes twenty-five years of age. Gladys and Ector are to receive each one-third of her and his share in real estate and the remainder when each reaches the age of forty years.

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SKELETON FOUND, SUSPECT MURDER

By the Associated Press.
NORFOLK, Va., November 16.—The skeleton of a man, believed to have been murdered, was found yesterday in a patch of woods between South Norfolk and Portlick, a country community. The theory of Norfolk police, who were called upon by county authorities to aid in the investigation, is that the man's throat was cut.

The killing is believed to have been committed some time last summer, as all the clothing found with his bones were of summer weight, and his hat was of straw. Apparently the body had been stripped of the outer clothing before the body was left there, as there remained only the straw hat, a good quality shirt, underwear, silk socks and a pair of shoes.

There were no laundry marks or other means of identification. The body was found Sunday by Sam Munden, a negro, who reported his find to houses at Oak Grove, a community near by. This fact did not become known until yesterday, when members of the household notified Justice J. A. Langhorne of Portlick.

The body was found in a thick clump of woods, not far from the southern branch of the Elizabeth river, about seventy-five yards from the main highway.

FIND MISSING MEXICAN SHOT THROUGH HEART

By the Associated Press.
BROWNSVILLE, Tex., November 16.—Elias Villereal Zarate, Mexican, whose death caused representations to be made by the Mexican government to the State Department at Washington, was killed on the night of November 9, after he had been taken from the jail at Weslaco, according to reports received here.

Zarate's body was found last Saturday morning lying in an abandoned five mile truck. He had been shot through the heart.

The Mexican was taken from the temporary jail at Weslaco, eight miles from the town of Brownsville, according to several Mexicans who were talking to Zarate through the window. After they had been driven away by a man brandishing a pistol, the lock on the door was broken and Zarate placed in an automobile, according to the Mexicans. This happened about 9 o'clock on the night of November 9.

The authorities knew nothing of Zarate's being kidnapped until several hours later. A search was immediately started, but no trace of Zarate was found until the following Saturday.

AUSTIN, Tex., November 16.—Information regarding the lynching of Elias Villereal Zarate, a Mexican, at West Acio, Tex., last Saturday, and alleged threats upon the life of the Mexican consul at Midland, had not reached state officials tonight. Gov. Neff and Adjutant General Barton stated. No request for an investigation of the affairs has been received from federal authorities, it was stated.

OFFERED BRIBE FOR BEER.

Attempt to Halt Activities of Canadian Official Fails.

WINNIPEG, Manitoba, November 16.—The Rev. Dr. C. W. Gordon (Ralph Connor, the author) told delegates at the Manitoba Presbyterian Synod last night that the Hon. R. W. Synod had been offered a bribe of \$50,000 by liquor interests.

He said the money was offered if the attorney general would agree not to enforce the liquor laws more rigidly than at present, which meant the selling of real beer in cafes and hotels. Some of the most respectable men in Winnipeg were identified with the attempt to bribe the government, according to Dr. Gordon. The bribe was refused in a most emphatic way. Dr. Gordon declared.

SOJOURNERS TO MEET.

A patriotic meeting under the auspices of the Sojourners Club, Washington Chapter, No. 2, will be held in the Central High School Auditorium tonight. Lieut. Col. Thomas J. Dickson, LL. B., of the Chaplains Corps, U. S. A., will deliver a lecture on the war.

The president, Gen. Amos A. Fries, will preside.

LAME DUCK NEEDS NEW WINGS TO FLY, SAYS MISS ALICE

By the Associated Press.
KANSAS CITY, Mo., November 16.—"The lame duck will have to get its plumage in order before it determines where it will fly next."

That was the statement here of Miss Alice Robertson, congresswoman of Muskogee, Okla. If "Miss Alice" was disturbed because of her recent defeat for re-election, she did not show it. "No, I don't know what I want to do, but the good Lord does and he will direct me," she said. "I sold my cafeteria business and, of course, it isn't so easy finding a job at sixty-nine, or getting back into the business world, but I have to work, and something suitable will show up, I'm sure."

BROWN'S PLAN READY FOR COMMISSION SOON

Senator Smoot Defends Chairman Who Prepared Reorganization Scheme.

Walter F. Brown, chairman of the joint commission on reorganization of the government departments, in preparing a plan of reorganization has done only what the commission authorized it to do months ago, according to Senator Smoot of Utah, a member of the joint commission.

Senator Smoot said today he believes the recommendations by Mr. Brown provide a real solution of the departments would be submitted to the commission for its consideration at an early date. He asserted that a reorganization of the departments for greater efficiency and economy is absolutely necessary.

Whether legislation embodying such a reorganization could be put through at the coming special and short session of Congress, he said, was problematical.

In the Air.

Townsend—In the city it's getting worse than the pirates who hold up the rum ship on the high seas. Sister—Now what's happened? Townsend—It says here, a gang of small boys, armed to the teeth with sticks, bricks and toy pistols, held up an ice cream truck.

The health department likewise needs a supplemental appropriation to keep up with its work of disease prevention. Just what these supplemental estimates will amount to in total could not be forecast today and probably will not be known until they are sent to the budget bureau.

D. C. NEEDS TO GO TO BUREAU SOON

Supplemental Estimates to Be Submitted in Next Few Weeks.

SCHOOLS SEEK \$250,000

Health and Police Departments Also to Plead for Additional Appropriations.

The District Commissioners are preparing to submit to the bureau of the budget within the next few weeks a list of supplemental estimates to cover urgent needs of the various departments for the current fiscal year.

The city heads cannot discuss estimates in advance of their submission to Congress, but it became known today that a number of departments have found that they need additional funds to carry them until July 1 next.

The board of education, it was reported, expects to transmit to the Commissioners a supplemental budget for the current year of approximately \$50,000.

Several branches of the engineer department, it is understood, will ask for money to tide them over the remaining six months.

It is reported that the city refuse division will have to seek an additional increase in garbage collections, which could not have been anticipated at the beginning of the year.

The police department also is said to have asked for an additional appropriation for the maintenance of its equipment. This department has obtained a score of motor cycles and a number of other motor vehicles in recent months, which has resulted in an increase in expenditures for upkeep.

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